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health care professional. The amendment also provides that no person other than a health care professional may use AED unless the user has been appropriately trained in its use under the guidelines established by the Department of Health and Human Services, Regulation and Licensure. And the AED then is maintained and tested according to manufacturer's guidelines. A third amendment grants immunity from civil liability for anyone other than health care professional acting in such capacity or in health care facility who delivers emergency care or treatment using an AED in good faith. The amendment specifically does not grant immunity for willful, wanton, or grossly negligent acts. This bill did appear before the Health Committee, was unanimously advanced. Actually, Dr. Jay Matzke did give a demonstration right before us of the use of an AED, and this is a type of device, frankly, that I hope that every high school in this state will have. I think it'd be great if we had one on each floor of this Capitol Building and then with people that are trained to use them. With really a few hours training, anybody can be proficient in its use. It's the type of machine that you actually set it up and it will tell you what to do. It'll speak to you. And if it denotes that there is a heart and pulse, it will say do not use. If there isn't, it'll say go ahead and use. And so it's an amazing little machine in a rather small package that should be in any facility where there is a large number of people and then have someone trained to use it. With that, I would certainly urge for passage of the committee amendment.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Jensen. For discussion on the committee amendment, Senator Baker.

SENATOR BAKER: Thank you, Mr. Lieutenant Governor, members of the body. I am going to try and help on this bill. I am one of these people who...I am certified on a defibrillator. I was originally certified on a manual defibrillator where we had the paddles. We went to the automatic defibrillators, which is a much easier method of shocking a person back to a rhythm, what we call a V-TAC, and I, at first, was concerned about liability. Senator Wickersham did address those. As an EMT, they are addressed in sections...Chapter 71-5194. I don't want people to think that this is going to be a solution to fit all cases because we have to maintain training. It is going to be a